

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

5. (Amended) The laminate as claimed in claim 1, wherein the metal layer is constituted of one or more metals selected from the group consisting of aluminum, nickel, copper, iron and alloys of them.

6. (Amended) The laminated as claimed in claim 1, wherein the surface-treated layer is constituted of a chemically treated layer.

7. (Amended) The laminated as claimed in claim 1, wherein the primer coating layer is that of thermosetting type based on epoxy, urethane, epoxy-urethane, imine, titanate, polyester or silane.

8. (Amended) The laminated as claimed in claim 1, wherein the adhesive resin is a graft-modified polyolefin resin obtained by graft-copolymerizing a polyolefin resin with an ethylenically unsaturated carboxylic acid.

14. (Amended) A seal film for sealing the electrolyte of battery or a protection film for protecting the electrode part of battery, which film is made from the laminate as claimed in claim 1.

15. (Amended) A battery comprising a seal film for sealing the electrolyte of battery or a protection film for protecting the electrode part of battery, which film is made from the laminate as claimed in claim 1.

A₃ 16. (Amended) A seal film or sealing the electrolyte of secondary battery or a protection film for protecting the electrode part of secondary battery, which film is made from the laminate as claimed in claim 3.

17. (Amended) A secondary battery comprising a seal film for sealing the electrolyte of secondary battery or a protection film for protecting the electrode part of secondary battery, which film is made from the laminate as claimed in claim 3.

20. (Amended) The flexible package as claimed in claim 18, wherein the metal layer is constituted of one or more metals selected from the group consisting of aluminum, nickel, copper, iron and alloys of them.

21. (Amended) The flexible package as claimed in claim 18, wherein the surface-treated layer is constituted of a chemically treated layer.

22. (Amended) The flexible package as claimed in claim 18, wherein the primer coating layer is that of thermosetting type

based on epoxy, urethane, epoxy-urethane, imine, titanate, polyester or silane.

23. (Amended) The flexible package as claimed in claim 18, wherein the adhesive resin is a graft-modified polyolefin resin obtained by graft-copolymerizing a polyolefin resin with an ethylenically unsaturated carboxylic acid.

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